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System, Method and Apparatus For International

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Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

- 1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal (PTO/SB/05);
- 2. U.S. Utility Patent Application entitled:

System, Method and Apparatus For International Financial Transactions

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Ronald Z. Szoc, Ph.D.; Radomir Zamurovic; Jim Lesure and Jeremy Shanahan the application consisting of:

- a. A specification containing:
  - (i) 43 pages of description prior to the claims;
  - (ii) 6 pages of claims (27 claims); and
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